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BEFORE THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

In the Matter of	)	
	)	MUR 7304, MUR 7331, RAD
Hillary Victory Fund and Elizabeth Jones	)	REFERRAL 17L-36
in her official capacity as treasurer;	)	
Hillary Rodham Clinton; Hillary for	)	
America and Elizabeth Jones in her	)	
official capacity as treasurer; DNC	)	
Services Corporation/Democratic	)	
National Committee and William Q.	)	
Derrough in his official capacity as	)	
treasurer; Alaska Democratic Party and	)	
Carolyn Covington in her official	)	
capacity as treasurer; Democratic Party of	)	
Arkansas and Dawne Vandiver in her	)	
official capacity as treasurer; Colorado	)	
Democratic Party and Rita Simas in her	)	
official capacity as treasurer; Democratic	)	
State Committee (Delaware) and Helene	)	
Keeley in her official capacity as	)	
treasurer; Democratic Executive	)	
Committee of Florida and Francesca	)	
Menes in her official capacity as	)	
treasurer; Georgia Federal Elections	)	
Committee and Kip Carr in his official	)	
capacity as treasurer; Idaho State	)	
Democratic Party and Leroy Hayes in his	)	
official capacity as treasurer; Indiana	)	
Democratic Congressional Victory	)	
Committee and Henry Fernandez in his	)	
official capacity as treasurer; Iowa	)	
Democratic Party and Ken Sagar in his	)	
official capacity as treasurer; Kansas	)	
Democratic Party and Bill Hutton in his	)	
official capacity as treasurer; Kentucky	)	
State Democratic Central Executive	)	
Committee and M. Melinda Karns in her	)	
official capacity as treasurer; Democratic	)	
State Central Committee of LA and Sean	)	

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Dakota Democratic Party and Bill )  
Nibbelink in his official capacity as )  
treasurer; Tennessee Democratic Party )  
and Geeta McMillan in her official )  
capacity as treasurer; Texas Democratic )  
Party and Gilberto Hinojosa in his )  
official capacity as treasurer; Utah State )  
Democratic Committee and Peter )  
Corroon in his official capacity as )  
treasurer; Democratic Party of Virginia )  
and Barbara Klear in her official capacity )  
as treasurer; WV State Democratic )  
Executive Committee and Jerry )  
Brookover in his official capacity as )  
treasurer; Democratic Party of Wisconsin )  
and Randy A. Udell in his official )  
capacity as treasurer; WY Democratic )  
State Central Committee and Chris )  
Russell in his official capacity as )  
treasurer )

CERTIFICATION

I, Laura E. Sinram, recording secretary of the Federal Election Commission executive session, do hereby certify that on April 25, 2019, the Commission took the following actions in the above-captioned matter:

1. Failed by a vote of 2-2 to:
  - a. Open a MUR for RR 17L-36 and merge it with MUR 7304.
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- j. Find reason to believe that Hillary Victory Fund and Elizabeth Jones in her official capacity as treasurer, Hillary for America and Elizabeth Jones in her official capacity as treasurer, DNC Services Corporation/DNC and William Q. Derrough in his official capacity as treasurer, and the thirty-eight SPCs violated 11 C.F.R. § 102.17(c)(1) and (2).
- k. Find reason to believe that DNC Services Corporation/DNC and William Q. Derrough in his official capacity as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. § 30116(f).
- l. Find reason to believe that Hillary Victory Fund and Elizabeth Jones in her official capacity as treasurer, DNC Services Corporation/DNC and William Q. Derrough in his official capacity as treasurer, and the thirty-eight SPCs violated 52 U.S.C. § 30104(a) and (b) and 11 C.F.R. § 104.3(a) and (b).
- m. Find reason to believe the Texas Democratic Party, the Mississippi Democratic Party, the Idaho State Democratic Party, the Nevada State Democratic Party, the Utah State Democratic Committee, the Democratic Party of South Carolina, the Massachusetts Democratic State Committee, and the Kansas Democratic Party violated 52 U.S.C. § 30104(a) and (b) and 11 C.F.R. § 104.3(a) and (b).
- n. Find reason to believe that DNC Services Corporation/DNC and William Q. Derrough in his official capacity as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. § 30116(a) and 11 C.F.R. §§ 109.20(a) and 109.32.
- o. Find reason to believe that Hillary for America and Elizabeth Jones in her official capacity violated 52 U.S.C. § 30116(f) and 11 C.F.R. §§ 109.20(a) and 109.32.
- p. Take no action at this time with regard to the alleged violations of 52 U.S.C. §§ 30116(a)(8) and 30122 and 11 C.F.R. §§ 110.4 and 110.6 against all Respondents.

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- q. Approve the Factual and Legal Analyses, as recommended in the First General Counsel's Report dated September 28, 2018.
- r. Approve the appropriate letters.

Commissioners Walther and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the motion.

Commissioners Hunter and Petersen dissented.

2. Failed by a vote of 2-2 to:

**RR 17L-36 (Texas Democratic Party)**

- a. Open a MUR in RR 17L-36.
- b. Find reason to believe that the Texas Democratic Party and Gilberto Hinojosa in his official capacity as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. § 30104(a) and (b) and 11 C.F.R. § 104.3(a) and (b).
- c. Enter into conciliation prior to a finding of probable cause to believe.
- d. Direct the Office of General Counsel to circulate a proposed conciliation agreement
- e. Direct the Office of General Counsel to circulate a Factual and Legal Analysis.

Commissioners Walther and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the motion.

Commissioners Hunter and Petersen dissented.

3. Decided by a vote of 4-0 to:

**MUR # 7597**

**RR 17L-36 (Texas Democratic Party)**

- a. Open a MUR in RR 17L-36.
- b. Find reason to believe that the Texas Democratic Party and Gilberto Hinojosa in his official capacity as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. § 30104(a) and (b) and 11 C.F.R. § 104.3(a) and (b).



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Commissioners Hunter, Petersen, Walther and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

6. Failed by a vote of 2-2 to:

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Commissioners Walther and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the motion.

Commissioners Hunter and Petersen dissented.

7. Decided by a vote of 4-0 to:

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Commissioners Hunter, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

8. Failed by a vote of 2-2 to:

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Commissioners Walther and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the motion.

Commissioners Hunter and Petersen dissented.

9. Decided by a vote of 4-0 to:

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Commissioners Hunter, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

10. Decided by a vote of 4-0 to:

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Commissioners Hunter, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

11. Decided by a vote of 4-0 to:

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Commissioners Hunter, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

12. Decided by a vote of 4-0 to:

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Commissioners Hunter, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

13. Decided by a vote of 4-0 to:

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Commissioners Hunter, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

14. Decided by a vote of 4-0 to:

**MUR 7331 (Hillary Victory Fund)**

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b. **Close the File.**

c. Send the appropriate letters.

Commissioners Hunter, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

15. Failed by a vote of 3-1 to:

**MUR 7304 (Hillary Victory Fund)**

a. Close the File.

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- b. Approve defense of suit in the event that the complainant in this matter subsequently files suit pursuant to 52 U.S.C. § 30109(a)(8).

Commissioners Hunter, Petersen, and Walther voted affirmatively for the motion.

Commissioner Weintraub dissented.

16. Decided by a vote of 4-0 to:

~~MUR 7304 (Hillary Victory Fund)~~

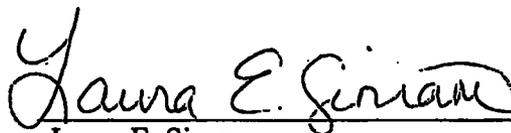
- a. Close the File.
- b. Send the appropriate letters.

Commissioners Hunter, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

Attest:

4/29/19

Date



Laura E. Sinram  
Deputy Secretary of the Commission